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Significance: The water treatment pumping and storage building was built in 1958 from standardized drawings approved by the Corps of Engineers, which were designed by the firm of Warren and Van Praag, Inc., of Decatur, Illinois. Nike buildings were considered modified emergency buildings.

Description: The water treatment pumping and storage building is a masonry structure containing 336 square feet. It has a concrete floor, footings, and foundation, cinder block walls, a built-up roof, and electrical service. There is only one door and one window.

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